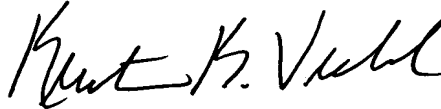


**REMARKS**

Claims 12-22 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, claims 1-11 are canceled and claims 12-22 are added. New claims 12-22 are directed to the subject matter of canceled claims 1-11. Claims 12-22 eliminate multiple dependencies and put the subject matter of claims 1-11 into conformance with United States practice. Support for the new claims is found in, for example, claims 1-11 and the specification, page 5, line 30, to page 9, line 7. Prompt and favorable consideration on the merits is respectfully requested.

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